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Local and General :

The results of the Departmental Examinations, Grade X, published this week appear the following as having passed, Mae Ruddy, Eliz. Smart, Ellen Oneil, Caroline Oneil and Marie Ontkes. Grade IX, Lillian Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Halliday journeyed to Banff on Sunday last by car for a few days holiday.

Mrs. R. Collings left for Toronto on Tuesday morning, Mr. Collings accompanying her to Calgary.

Mrs. Thurlow, of London, Ont., is spending the summer with her son near town.

Church of the Ascension, 9th Sunday after Trinity, August 20th. Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Morning Prayer & Sermon 11 a.m. The W.A. wish to thank the ladies of Crossfield and district for their assistance in making the tea last Saturday a success.

Private Fred Stevens was in town on Saturday last paying farewell visits prior to leaving for --- having transferred to the 138th which left Calgary on Monday last.

The school holidays are over, and the school re-opens on Monday next. The Board have been fortunate in securing the same able teachers that did such good service during the past year.

At the meeting of the Women's Institute to be held on Monday afternoon, August 28th, Miss Isabel Noble, President of the Alberta Women's Institute will be present and address the meeting. All ladies invited.

A social evening was held at the Union Church parsonage on Wednesday evening last week given by Rev. H. M. Horricks to the young people of the church. The evening was spent in games, songs, and recitations, about 25 being present. Those who were fortunate enough to be present are talking yet of the good time spent. O, you beans!

The Sunday school children in connection with the Union Church held their annual picnic on Thursday afternoon week. It had been intended to take the children out in cars to Mr. Patmore's field, but owing to the muddy state of the roads the Parsonage lawn was selected instead. The afternoon was spent in races, games, etc. Mr. E. S. McKory, Rev. Mr. Horricks, assisted by the ladies took charge, and were kept quite lively. Tea, sandwiches, and all kinds of cake were handed out to the children. Ice cream was in great demand and their was a surfeit. Mrs. Frank Laut had an exceptionally rough time scattering nuts and candy. Duak came all too soon when all began to disperse having spent a very enjoyable afternoon.

The joy resulting from the diffusion of blessings all around us is the purest and sublimest that can ever enter the human mind, and can be conceived only by those who have experienced it.

LOST.--Between town and J. A. McFadyen's Farm, 5 miles S.-W. of town, a Navy Blue Serge Suit Coat. Finder please return to Chronicle Office.

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Lost.--Between A. L. Jones' place and Crossfield (blind line road), 1 rawhide Halter and 1 black Halter. Finder please leave at U.F.A. Office.

Lost.--1 two-year old Stud Colt, Clyde, dark bay, silte Roman nose, small white strip in face, white on hind feet.

For Sale.--South East of Crossfield, Standing Timothy and Prairie Hay, or would have put up on shares or by the ton. G. A. C. Dougan.

Estray.--1 Bay Mare about 3 years old, white spot on forehead, 4 white feet. 1 yearling horse colt, bay with white spot on face. 1 yearling horse colt, black. No visible brands. I. C. Hubbs.

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 ages.
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 Gordon, 1 pair socks.
 Hilda Parrott, 1 washing.
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 Mrs. Ingham, 1 surgical shirt.
 Walsh, 12 trian. bandages.
 Matthews, 12 " "
 F. Banta, 3 washings.

Crossfield Sewing Circle, 22 M.-T.
 bandages, 32 T bandages, 1 pillow
 slip, 1 surgical shirt, 10 towels.
 Beaver Dam Circle, 15 M.-T. and
 15 T bandages.

Elia Sewing Circle, 1 suit pyjamas,
 58 T and 2 trian. bandages, prepa-
 ration of 13 M.-T. bandages,
 finished, 6 M.-T., 7 T and 18
 trian. bandages, 1 surgical shirt,
 1 bed jacket, 1 dressing gown.

Owing to the illness of the Sec-
 retary Mrs. Laut, the materials for
 Red Cross work may now be ob-
 tained from the president, Mrs. W.
 McKory. The reports of the work
 done and cash received will be looked
 after by Mrs. Morrow for the present.

The Crossfield Sewing Circle meet
 this week at the home of Mrs. Jessi-
 man, and next week with Mrs. M.
 Thomas.

Frank Collicutt's Noted
Herefords Visit Vancouver

A carload of Herefords sent by
 Frank Collicutt, from his Willow
 Springs Ranch, formed a great at-
 traction at the Vancouver Exhibition
 the herd was headed by the sweep-
 stakes champion bull "Beau Per-
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 the scales at a ton and a quarter.

The entries comprised nearly every
 known breed, but the total number
 was no greater than last year.

You cannot coin anything, not even a
 dream, except out of the material you
 possess, and responsibility lies in this—
 that for the most part you have gathered
 the material. A brutish nature cannot
 evolve angelic visions, nor a shallow soul
 thrill at heroism; but the coarseness and
 the shallowness have been largely matters
 of choice. We are born into the natural
 world around us, but the world within
 us is of our own choosing; we gather the
 material which makes it a desert or a
 garden.

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In order to facilitate the handling of
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Sunday School Picnic

Exceptionally favoured by the clerk
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 of the Church of the Ascension on Tuesday
 last was an unqualified success. The
 children, with their parents and friends,
 assembled at the Church at 2:30 p.m.,
 when a start was at once made for Poplar
 Grove. On arrival games were indulged
 in, followed by races in which the majority
 present participated, the excellent prizes
 furnished calling forth commendatory
 remarks from all. Tea was served to the
 young people at 5:30, their wants being
 fully attended to by Mesdames Cavanaugh,
 McLeod, Lewis, Nicholls, Birch and
 Wolodge. The adults were next ministered
 to, and after a further series of games a
 tired and happy party made their way
 back to town at seven o'clock. The
 thanks of the Sunday School officers are
 heartily accorded to Mrs. Stevens, for
 gift of several prizes, to the gentlemen
 who took charge of the various events,
 to the Rev. Mr. Horricks and Mrs. Hor-
 ricks for their presence and kindly in-
 terest in the proceeding, to Mr. C. Wicks
 for providing the transport facilities, and
 to all who contributed in any way to what
 certainly proved to be one of the most
 enjoyable outings of the season.

Estray.

On the premises of James Robertson,
 Sec. 14, 28, 2, w. of 5th. One Red Cow,
 with White Calf at foot. Cow aged about
 4 years. Branded CR on left shoulder.

JOHN LENNON,
 Brand Reader.

On the Premises of G. W. Church
 (Mudhen Ranch), Sec. 22, R. 3, Tp. 28,
 w. 5th. Brown Filly, aged 2 years.
 Three white feet, and white on face.
 Branded on left thigh.

JOHN LENNON,
 Brand Reader.

Crossfield.—On the premises of
 N. J. Wigle, Sect. 11-28-29, W. 4,
 one White faced Cow, with calf six
 months old. Cow branded on left
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 within nine miles of his homestead on a
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 the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in
 good standing may pre-empt a quarter-
 section alongside his homestead. Price
 \$3.00 per acre.

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A settler who has exhausted his home-
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W. W. CORY, C.M.G.,

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
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Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield
 will meet in the Council Chamber over
 Fire Hall on the first Monday of each
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By Order of the Village Council.
 St-42. W. McKory, Sec.-Treas.

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Farming of the Romans

Much Can Be Learned From the Farmers of Ancient Times

It would doubtless surprise many farmers were that the Romans, who lived and wrote in the first and second centuries of the Christian era, Pliny, Varro and Cato were much engaged in the service of the state, but Columella seems to have been a farmer all his life. The others, however, found time to write entertainingly of agriculture, Varro's works being considered the most important treatise on ancient agriculture that has come down to us.

Columella was one of the most learned of the Roman writers on agriculture, and his works on this subject styled "The Book of the Farm" made twelve books, the first of which being wholly in verse. He describes cheese-making, in which process art was used as it is today. He was as enthusiastic over alfalfa as is Joseph E. Wing in our time, and his courses on irrigation, drainage, cultivation, and on the importance of permitting the land to rest and to be plowed today as when they were written for the Roman farmers 2,000 years ago.

When in my teens I attended the academy in which I obtained the major part of my school learning, certain of the advanced students were seeking to obtain some little knowledge of the ancient Greek language as a preparation for college, and I had a good deal to say about a certain ancient Greek writer named Xenophon, whose chief work, "Memorabilia," described the way in Persia and elsewhere in which he had an important part.

I was particularly interested in the expedition of Cyrus, and it was not until many years later that I learned that this same Xenophon, when he took off his armor, was a peaceful farmer, and that that was the reason he called "Economica," in which he set forth his views of agriculture in a language and with a simplicity that showed that he was as much at home with the plow as with the sword.

Xenophon in this treatise notes how a man may be least deceived in the purchase of a horse. He says that in those days as well as in our time, among other things he says, "I learned to know the value of a man may run the least risk of being deceived when considering the future of his horse and horse. The young horse which, when foaled, has the shank bone longest, invariably turns out the best for so time advances the shank bones of all quadrupeds increase but little; but that the rate of the body and the shank bones increase with them." This seems also an answer to the often asked question, are the legs of a horse or a colt as long as they will ever be?

But Xenophon's knowledge of agriculture was by no means confined to horses. Green manures are discussed in our day as if they were a recent discovery, yet in the same treatise years ago this wise Greek wrote: "When the corn is up and it is high in the blade, if the farmer plows the ground with a plow it will greatly enrich the land and give it as much strength as a rich manure." He well understood the importance of thoroughness or ditches in seeded fields for draining the wet places, as well as the desirability of "reaping with the wind." He talks like a seasoned modern farmer of the importance of cutting weeds in the hot part of summer, as well as of frequent cultivation in a dry time. In short, there seem to be few of what are considered the essentials in twentieth-century agricultural practice that were not perfectly familiar to Xenophon, who, upon every occasion attested agriculture, deeming those most fortunate who were engaged in it. He regarded husbandry as "the mother and nurse of all other sciences," a sentiment that I have heard expressed often.

But agriculture was not the sole topic of this wise Greek. He wrote entertainingly of the raising of the wolf, in which he indicated a course that in his judgment would make the perfect behavior of the animal. His observations: "It is more convenient for a woman to be at home and mind her own domestic affairs than to go abroad." That sounds like a bit out of Puritan New England; but Xenophon proceeds in the same vein and gives his opinion of the coquette in this language: "It is as shameful for a man to be at the disposal of a woman as it is for a woman to be at the disposal of a man." "Business requires him to be abroad." "We get a glimpse, too, of another side of the Greek world when he tells that human nature is the same in all ages. The model wife it seems was as desirous of appearing in bloom before her husband than on one occasion she was moved to paint her face with a certain cosmetic, and he made it make it fairer than it was; and with another mixture had endeavored to increase the natural bloom of her cheeks; and also had put on higher shoes than ordinary to make her look taller than she naturally was. How

like this ancient Greek came hundreds of women in French heels that Harriet and I see every time we visit our nearest city, and how kind and effective, was the husbandly rebuke in which the wife was assured that her "own person" and its natural perfections is preferable to all the paint and ointment you can use to it.

Thus it will be seen that in spite of centuries of development we are not so very far ahead of the ancients after all. One of my friends who has travelled extensively and kept his eyes open, saw in the ruins of excavated Pompeii, the Italian city that was buried under the lava of Mount Vesuvius in the year 79 and remained undisturbed for more than 1,500 years, a "wiser" joint as perfectly made as though done by a twentieth-century plumber.

Conscientious Objectors

Various Ways to Use in the War These Who Object to Carrying a Rifle

The New York Times says: Recent talk about the possibility of a war out of which this country could not be kept has revealed the existence here of people who have or profess conscientious scruples in doing so. But there are not only conscientious objectors, but also those who try with the same problem has handed it.

The English have shrewdly decided that tactics against fighting, to be conscientious and deserving of recognition—to be sincere, that is, and not a mere cloak for cowardice or treason. They have been entertained and expressed for some time before the war began. The Quakers, the Brethren, and others who can meet that are excused from becoming out-and-out soldiers, serving in the trenches and shooting or shooting at those whom they call their men. But there are not left altogether. They are conscripted like other people, yet only as conscientious objectors, and they have to use the same instead of the rifle.

Apparently enough, it seems to satisfy their delicate consciences, and apparently they fail to realize that they do it just as much as those who are engaged in it, and that it has a mere cloak for cowardice or treason. It is reported they are proud of the fact that though they do not kill themselves, not infrequently their tactics takes them under fire, and that their lives are by no means safe.

It is to be hoped that our own conscientious objectors will be equally lenient to those who, if ever it does, in the future, the British, and the problem is well worth keeping in mind, for even if it should tend to increase the membership of sects of the religious-pacifist sort no great harm will be done. Modern war needs the service of as many civilians or non-combatants as of men taking part in the actual fighting, and those thus engaged are as honorably employed as any soldier on the firing line, though, of course, they haven't the same opportunity of acquiring glory and do not share the stern joys of battle.

One Result of the War

Heavy Emigration From European Countries is Sure to Follow

Unless the European governments place a big emigration ban on citizens leaving their countries after the war, their military reserves will not be as large as many figures typically later was received in this city from a young Welshman serving in the trenches in Flanders, part of which ran as follows:

"Twenty-five of my mates, along with myself, have made up an emigration club among ourselves. Those of us who get through this mess will club our valuables together and then off to Canada, where we will farm. Ten of us were in commercial houses, five worked on farms in England and Wales, and the other ten did various factory jobs. Not one of the chaps who worked in the factory will ever do it again and the farmers don't want to go back to the Old Country. We hear land can be bought for next to nothing in Canada, and I hope you would send us particulars to return post."

Other recipients of correspondence from the fighting lines of the belligerents report similar sentiments, and it looks as if Europe will not only not have to contend with a great influx of men on their labor markets, but that governments will actually have to do the threats or inducements to retain their best citizens.—Wall Street Journal.

General Townshend's Dog

General Townshend, the heroic defender of Kut, places a dog on his favorites. When he surrendered, he made the request of the Turkish Commander, "Spot," his dog, "Spot," a fierce ferret, might be spared. "It will have a special place in my heart," said the fact of "Spot" was the first "prisoner" to arrive at Basora, the place of the General's capture, and on the dog's collar was a message in the General's handwriting. "Please put me to rest as soon as possible from the battle of Kut to the defense of Kut."

If, or he, be troubled with corns and warts, he will find in Holloway's Cure an application that will entirely relieve suffering.

The Siege of Germany

It is clear that not only the duration of a siege but also its signs and symptoms vary with the area besieged. The more certain areas, every increase adds disproportionately to the resources available immediately and, therefore, to the strength of the position. In the case of the siege at that vast and fascinating sphere of resources, the progress of the siege can be seen; but with larger and more highly organized areas it can only be deduced with difficulty. Yet nothing can be more necessary in a war which now engages the whole nation than that we should have some trustworthy knowledge of the temper and resources of the enemy.

At the outset, it is necessary to realize that Germany is besieged. The essentials of a siege are a limited area and resources, gravely disproportionate to those of the besieging army. The beyond question is the state of Germany. All the wild dreams of salvation from the east have now been proved bankrupt.

In the conduct of the war, Germany has been forced to use a channel of resources, a sprinkling of soldiers, and a more highly organized army. It is the distraction of the Allied command and the dispersion of our forces. But Germany is now seen in effect, it is shortened by the amount of supplies of munitions and men sent to the front.

In Germany at this moment there is an undoubted shortage of food. The evidence of this is beyond question. However, the organization ultimately amounting to rationing, can be seen in any siege. But outside the shortage of food, there is a distribution in the conduct of the war. Stories of our inhumanity in previous wars have been told, and Germany now march those with which we are assailed for cliving and for the lack of the lack of rubber gloves, and Germany's rubber and carbolic acid are two prime necessities of war, and a proper proportion can only be preserved for hospitals if the direct war supply is impeded. Carbolic acid is the parent of pueric acid, methylidene, and can be decomposed into the parent of carbolic acid, and there is a shortage, also, of metals.

The most fundamental shortage, however, is in men. It is not only a shortage, but it is a shortage of the most intensive agriculture and to chemistry these other necessities for the conduct of the war should be sufficient to show that a siege is essentially a military problem. If a military decision could be achieved the siege would end. A recent order of the German war minister, for the conduct of the war, "exempted for the conduct of the war" can only be granted where their physique is such that they are only engaged in the most non-combatant service. What, then, is the value of von Moltke's statement that Germany has plenty of men and material. Further we know that the bulk of the 1916 class has already been sent to the front, and together with the fact that even skilled hands are being taken from munition work, it is not surprising that the "best qualified auxiliary of Germany" is a draw. There can be no defeated side, and the status quo ante will be maintained, and the military statement we are perfectly justified in deducing that the besieged has no prospect of a bold rescue, and no relief in prospect. It is completely unthinkable that a responsible German could ever have made such an admission otherwise.

Yet how to reduce this besieged fortress most rapidly is a question of some difficulty. The area under siege is so wide and its defence works so various that the problem bewilders while it stimulates. Yet it is sufficiently like all fortified or entrenched areas to be considered the same way. The aim of every general besieged by a temporarily impeded, but rapidly increasing enemy is to push out his lines, and weaken the concentration against him. That was the real intention of the German staff in involving Turkey in the struggle. We have seen compelled to keep forces in distant places. But in attacking Turkey in force we are not only attacking the enemy's rear, but the war. The Turkish field represents the most distant outer line of the German's strategic position, and it is not surprising that the German staff is attacking the key sector. If we can break through the Turkish position, we will be at an end. But if we march to the gates of Constantinople, if we capture Turkey, we will be at an end. But if we march to the gates of Constantinople, if we capture Turkey, we will be at an end. But if we march to the gates of Constantinople, if we capture Turkey, we will be at an end.

It is true that a victory in any part of the field may have a beneficial effect on the operations elsewhere; and where lines of investment are pressed, the more the more the defensive lines against which they stand. It is tempting to force the fighting lines, and to secure a manoeuvre war is still possible. Yet the German lines can only be considered impregnable, and the success of the Neuve Chapelle, Loos and Cambrai.

and we do wrong to think the cost of an advance to Belgrade as less than that of breaking through in the west, merely because the casualties would be less immediate. Ultimately, they would probably be far higher, while the effect would be less. But since through some division of interests and counsels we have embarked upon this course, every operations in the east we must see through, and in this way so shorten our lines against the main enemy that our preponderance of force will be overwhelming. The siege progresses; the enemy weakens; victory matures. But to set it off we have finally to reckon with our chief—in a final sense our only—enemy, Germany—the Nation.

Scared the Germans

Canadians Told of Experiences at the Front

Talking to some wounded soldiers who had been at the front since the very beginning of active service for the Canadian troops, an Associated Press correspondent became convinced that the Dominion's soldiers' never had such an ordeal as during the recent campaign. In the way of the remorseless character of the German artillery fire or the terrific experience of the lack of the lack of the rear, from which high explosives had wiped everything. Here, for instance, the record of Private (2115) Jones, belonging to Moose Jaw, who was thirty months at the front. His battalion was in the trenches, almost continuously, both during the German attack and later when the Canadians counter-attacked.

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The Verdun Enterprise

All German Calculations Have Been Seen Clear

It is reasonably clear that the enemy feel themselves so deeply committed to the desperate Verdun enterprise that they are loath to relinquish it. Internal conditions in Germany are probably influencing them very greatly. They are in a race three months of steadily-increasing scarcity of food within their own borders; and though they may not realize their grain, no amount of organization can add appreciably to their stores of meat. When they are in a race three months of steadily-increasing scarcity of food within their own borders; and though they may not realize their grain, no amount of organization can add appreciably to their stores of meat.

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Meat Production

In the United States between 1900 and 1910 the output increased 24 per cent, while cattle decreased 30 per cent. In Russia, Argentina and Brazil the output has also decreased. In France, Germany and the United Kingdom, and Austria-Hungary there were slight increases, but only in France at the same ratio as the population. In Australia alone was there a marked increase in the number of cattle than of people. In Canada the population during the last five years has increased 38 per cent, but in cattle only 90 per cent. Those facts are surely pregnant with significance. The country that lies between Canada in the breeding of cattle. The same state of things exists, only in a more emphatic way as regards sheep, and even as regards swine the depletion has been a certain measure of scarcity this year.

Bombay is adding two new cotton mills, and is competing with the Lancashire cotton trade.

Zeppelins Prove A Boomerang

Why They Have Done the Germans More Harm Than Good

Comparison of the aerial defences of the British and the German, and the detriment of the latter have followed every successful Zeppelin raid upon the Imperial dominions. Critics have pointed to the immunity of Paris as proof of the incompetence of the British air service and the inadequacy of defence provisions by the War Office. The reason for the apparent superiority of the French authorities in the defence of their capital was, however, stated in an interview given by Prince Poniatowski, an attaché of the French War Office, upon his arrival in New York to purchase aeronautical supplies for his Government. "London is as well off as far as equipment goes to ward off Zeppelin raids as Paris," he said. The reason that they are made on England instead of on Paris is that to make a successful raid on Paris, the Zeppelins must return safely, they must cross the firing lines twice. Paris also can get an engine warning. In attacks on London, on the other hand, the Zeppelins are not so much concerned with the descent upon the English city than with warning."

In the Prince's opinion, the Zeppelins have done the Germans more harm than good and he sums up their efforts in a few brief but pointed sentences. "The Zeppelins, in the course of war, have acted as a boomerang for these reasons: They have aroused the British public opinion, they have in quicker time than would otherwise have been possible; they have meant an enormous expenditure of money on military results; and they have aroused the British public opinion. The Zeppelins are a part of their military equipment, and they have acted as a boomerang for these reasons: They have aroused the British public opinion, they have in quicker time than would otherwise have been possible; they have meant an enormous expenditure of money on military results; and they have aroused the British public opinion. 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Keep Records

By Keeping Records for a Few Years, You Can Know What It Costs to Grow an Acre of Wheat

There is but one way to find out the cost and profit of crops—that is by keeping records. This may be done by estimating the cost of a day's work for hand without a team; for hand with a single team and for double team. Then it is not a difficult matter to keep a record of the hours, or days' work. To this may be added such as the interest on the investment in land, taxes, implements, etc., together with the cost of feed, fertilizer, etc. Credit the land with the value of the crop and see whether or not it pays a profit. One year is not sufficient to determine the cost, as the season may be a very unfavorable one. But by keeping records for five years you can determine what it cost you to grow an acre of wheat, oats, hay, etc., and what profit it will pay.

Miller's Worm Powders prove their value. They do not cause any violent disturbances in the stomach, any pain or griping, but do their work quietly and painlessly, so that the destruction of the worms is imperceptible. Yet they are thorough, and from the first dose there is improvement in the condition of the sufferer and an entire cessation of manifestations of internal trouble.

British Shipping After the War

We must not lose sight of the danger which threatens supremacy of the British mercantile marine after the war. Changes are taking place in the relative tonnage of the mercantile marines of other countries. Here are the profits which British shipping are earning, the profits of the neutrals from shipping are more than twice as great. They will have vast funds to use after the war, in buying ships or in placing shipbuilding orders. The shipbuilding facilities of the United Kingdom are far greater than those of any country in the world. They must be safeguarded.—London Chronicle.

The Truth Will Out

A great German naval victory is being announced. The German evasions and concealments lend an air of probability to the French insistence on the loss of the Hindenburg. And what is the plight of a Government afraid to tell its people the truth? The "German victory" of Skagerrak is enveloped in legend. But how can the truth about it be kept from leaking out? A Government suspected by the rest of the world of untruth cannot permanently dupe its own people. At any moment Max Harden may blab the inconvenient truth.—The New York Times.

His Challenge

The judge looked over at the prisoner and said: "You are privileged to challenge any member of the jury now impaneled." Hogan brightened. "Well, then," he said, "you'll have to excuse me, I shall now lay my eye in, in the corner there for a moment."

HUSBAND OBJECTS TO NO OPERATIONS

Wife Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Des Moines, Iowa.—"Four years ago I was very sick and my life was nearly over. The doctor spent. The doctors stated that I would never get well without an operation and that without it I would not live one year. My husband objected to any operation and got me some of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and commenced to get better and am now well, am stout and able to do my own housework. I can recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who is sick and run down as a wonderful strength and health restorer. My husband says I would have been dead of my grave were it not that I had not been for your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. BLANCHET JEFFERSON, 798 Lynn St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Before submitting to a surgical operation it is wise to try to build up the female system and cure its derangements with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it has saved many women from surgical operations.

Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice—it will be confidential.

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Homesteads in Manitoba

Land For Homesteading is Yet Available in Many Parts of the Province

Contrary to prevalent opinion, the Province of Manitoba yet contains considerable available to the homesteader. To wit, extensive acreage lying between Lakes Winnipeg and Manitoba, a minor portion of which territory has already been taken up. Certain districts of Riding Mountains in north-western Manitoba afford opportunity, to the northward of Lake Winnipeg, are stretches of splendid areas, which it is understood will be open for entry at completion of the railroad to Hudson Bay. And in Manitoba proper, but comprise lands somewhat rugged in character. Nevertheless, this acreage is being secured by the immigrant from Slavonic Europe, who, with the perseverance indigenous to this class of settler, is creating farmsteads from an almost barren land.

Recent annexation of the immense district of Keewatin cannot be for several decades a source of interest from the standpoint of the homesteader. For the main part, Keewatin consists of lands of tamarac growth connecting waterways.

The Manitoban, always optimistic of his country's future, is looking forward to the termination of the present European war as the index finger of an unprecedented influx of immigration. For such auspicious harbinger, land for homesteading purposes is available in various provincial districts, despite any report to the contrary.—J. D. A. Evans in Farmer's Magazine.

A Woman's Health Needs Constant Care

When the Blood Becomes Poor Disease Speedily Follows

Every woman's health is peculiarly dependent upon the condition of her blood. How many women suffer with headache, pain in the back, poor appetite, weak digestion, a constant feeling of weakness, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, pallor and nervousness. Of course all these symptoms may not be present, but the blood there are the worse the condition of the blood, and it is not necessary that you should be able to catch it without delay. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are beyond doubt the greatest blood-purifying tonic offered to the public today. Every dose helps to make new, rich, red blood, and thus builds up the body and brings new health and strength to weak, despondent people. The blood is the life of the body, and it is to all women, but they are particularly useful to girls of school age who become languid and nervous. The blood during the growing years of a girl's life usually means a flat-chested, hollow-cheeked, listless creature, and is not better health nor beauty without the blood which given brightness to the eyes, color to the cheeks and lips. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do all this as is proved in thousands of cases.

Dr. Wm. Ross Carlowe wrote, Toronto, says: "I have received so much benefit from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that I feel it my duty to recommend them to others. I was about completely prostrated with anemia. I had no appetite, no energy, and was subject to fainting spells. I suffered greatly from dizziness, and the various other symptoms that accompany a bloodless condition. Remedy after remedy was tried but to no avail until a friend advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before commencing the second box, I was again enjoying splendid health, and have since remained in that happy condition."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Freedom of the Seas

Mr. Balfour shows that "the freedom of the seas" is simply a German dodge to cripple the use of all naval power, American as well as British. He shows that it would paralyze the fleets of the world while leaving the armies free to do what they pleased. That is what the Germans desire. That is what we in Great Britain will never permit. That also is what no American who is capable of seeing what lies behind the speciously sentimental phrase would dream of assenting to. So far as Mr. Balfour's explanation helps any American to realize that "the freedom of the seas" is nothing but a German scheme to make international law the handmaid of military despotism, it will be very useful.—London Daily Mail.

Minard's Lintment Cures Garget in Cows

When the Dairy Act, relating to factories for milk test at cheese factories, comes into force there will be an incentive for dairymen to not and breed their herds for butter-fat production. Under the old method of paying according to quantity, the dairymen with the low testing milk was being paid more than his milk was really worth. The dairymen with the high testing milk was sold below value.—Farmers' Advocate.

"Hullo, You! What's this I hear about your having some labor-saving device?" "It's true, all right. I'm going to marry an heiress."

Russian Equipment

New Shell Explains Russians Success on the Eastern Front

A new kind of shell, said to correspond to be a Japanese invention, while others assert it is the product of Russian scientists, is generally given the chief credit for the success of the new Russian offensive in despatches from Petrograd. Incredible quantities of this new weapon are being used by General Brusiloff, and its effect is said to surpass everything witnessed in the war thus far.

Of course, nothing can be said about the nature of this shell," says the Morning Post's correspondent at Petrograd, who asserts it is the product of the co-operative research of the Russian universities. In fighting, hitherto, the capture of positions have been gradual processes, but on the present offensive it is rapid beyond belief, the destruction of the co-operative research of the Russian universities. In fighting, hitherto, the capture of positions have been gradual processes, but on the present offensive it is rapid beyond belief, the destruction of the co-operative research of the Russian universities.

A Safe Pill for Suffering Women.—The secluded life of women which permits of little healthful exercise, a fruitful cause of derangement of the stomach and liver and is accountable for the pains and lassitude that so many of them experience. Par-melee's Vegetable Pills will correct irregularities of the digestive organs and restore health and vigor. The most delicate woman can use them, with safety, because their action is so effective, it must be soothing.

Major Priestly, R. A. M. C. whose report on the horrors of the West-berg hospital camp, shocked the world, has received the C. M. G. The King has bestowed the value of his services to the whole subject of the treatment of prisoners by Germany.

Minard's Lintment Cures Colds, Etc.

The Irish Problem. Irishmen of all parties and creeds have been fighting the common enemy together with the Englishmen, Scotsmen, Welshmen, Canadians, Austrians, New Zealanders, and South Africans; and how can we be so bankrupt in statesmanship as not to secure for the future settlement enabling Irishmen to live in harmony within their island, and at the same time establishing Irish national sentiment among the people of the Empire?

Everybody who wants to win the war must recognize that, whoever helps to the strength and not the weakness of the Empire? Lastly, it is not the strength of the Empire as a whole, but the strength of the Empire in its present hour of strain. Everybody who wants to win the war must recognize that, whoever helps to the strength and not the weakness of the Empire? Lastly, it is not the strength of the Empire as a whole, but the strength of the Empire in its present hour of strain. Everybody who wants to win the war must recognize that, whoever helps to the strength and not the weakness of the Empire? Lastly, it is not the strength of the Empire as a whole, but the strength of the Empire in its present hour of strain.

The Russian government has ordered 500,000 rounds of new wire in the United States. This order will total over twelve million dollars at present prices, and was a terrible blow in the war to stay.—Ottawa Citizen.

Mr. Bingley—Where is the bargain counter? Shopwalker—There are several, sir. What are you looking for? Mr. Bingley—I'm looking for my wife.

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Nerviline possesses another and not less important action—it equalizes the circulation in the painful parts, and thus affords a sure barrier to the re-

A Partner With Dad

Wherein a Farmer's Son Was Encouraged to Take an Interest in the Business

Yes, I like the farm and I am going to stay with it," said a young man who had just completed the short course in a Middle Western college of agriculture. "The first property that I remember ever having owned consisted of some chickens and a few ducks which had been given to me by a neighbor. I cared for them and when they were sold I had time to spare to invest in ducks. In the duck deal I also put all the pennies I had received from mother's gatherings of the eggs. The next season I sold ducks and eggs to the value of \$15.85."

"I added some savings from other sources and was able to buy a good tractor for \$27.50. To pay for the tractor I took a job on a farm and worked all the time. When the tractor was ready for sale I sold it for \$27.50 and bought a mule, cost of a bunch of two cows that father had bought. I kept the mule, broke it and worked it until it was five years old."

"It was just about this time that the bank in which father is interested went into liquidation. I sold the mule and became a banker. With the returns on this investment, I bought some more land. When it was fattened I had left some money and with this and some bank dividends I branched out in the cattle business, buying three or four carloads that father was feeding, but I paid my part. These steers brought me \$225."

"The spring after the three steers were sold father was buying mules, picking them up." A very likely span of three-year-olds was bought for \$225. The steer money and some of that year's bank dividend paid the bill. "Since that time I have bought a wagon, a good set of harness and a calibrator, making a payment out of the bank stock dividends."

"In the winter of 1912-13 I bought sixteen head of black calves, which were sold next spring for \$800. The money was invested in Shorthorn cows, which with their calves are now worth twice what they cost."

"Yes, I'm going back home. Father was over here during Farmers' Week, although he has always believed in up-to-date methods he is stronger than ever for them now because of the money he has since last summer, and we have owned a manure spreader so long it's almost worn out."

"We have 500 acres now. Father used to be an expert on the soil and we are going to be partners."—W. L. Nelson in the Country Gentleman.

Why suffer from corns when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Cure.

The Future of India

Men who are good enough to fight the battles of the Empire in France cannot be denied the gift of at least a great measure of autonomy in their affairs at home. But the whole atmosphere of our relations to India will certainly be found to have undergone a change as the result of the war. India has identified herself with the Empire in a manner never dreamed of hitherto; she can no more be treated as an appendage, to be dragged in the wake of the living body of the Empire. Certainly she can no more be "forgotten." Anyone acquainted with the startling developments of political self-consciousness in India during these few months, among the Princes among the soldiers in France, among their relatives and friends at home in India, will assuredly testify to the gravity of the task before us.—London Daily News.

Trade Openings in Russia

Russia is sure to require vast quantities of rails, locomotives, agricultural machinery and other machinery for the reconstruction which is to follow the lean years of demobilization and inanition. These 120,000,000 people do not intend to stand still, and a new light dawned already upon the darkness of medieval superstition and ignorance among the peasantry. The reconstruction must be taught to buy, and circular trade must not only be encouraged but called on. The men who go after it in person.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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When the sun sets in a sea of glory, that is, when the sunset sky is red, you may expect clear weather of the following day. At night, when the moon is clear and shows clean edges, with no halo or ring of mist around it, there is little danger of rain. When the wind blows steadily from the west, the weather will continue fair; it very rarely rains in the east. Watch the smoke from a chimney or from your fireplace—it is a good barometer. If the smoke rises high it means a clear day. The smoke from the wind is blowing; from which direction the wind is blowing, a gray early morning, not a heavy, cloudy one, promises a fair day.

A heavy dew or frost, followed by rain the next day. Think of it this way and you will remember. Wet feet, dry hair.

If there are no clouds at the western horizon, you need not worry about others. Animals are said often to show by their actions what the weather will be, and there is reason in this. Some of them certainly have a knowledge of coming storms. We are told that sheep are especially sensitive to weather changes, and when they make new webs the weather will be fair on an up-breeze, and during a shower, it will soon clear off.

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Gents.—I cured a valuable hunting dog of mange with MINARD'S LINTMENT. My veterinarian had treated him without doing him any permanent good.

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Prop. of Grand Central Hotel, Drummondville, Aug. 3, '14.

Canada's First Farmer

The first farmer settled in Canada who lived on the soil he cultivated was Louis Hebert, an apothecary from Paris, who landed in Quebec in 1677 with his wife and children. He was the first to start to clear and cultivate the soil on what is now the site of the Cathedral of Quebec, and the first of this part of the Upper Town extending from Ste. Famille street to the Hotel Dieu. At that time that part of the city was called "Hebert's Farm." With a spade as his only tool, he worked and re-worked the soil until he was ready to receive seed. He threw in the seed from France, planted apple and rose trees, and at last, saw undulating in the breeze, the golden ears, the flowers and fruits of the garden. The third century tenancy of the landing of Louis Hebert will be commemorated in Quebec in 1947, and a Citizen's Committee has been formed to erect a monument to the first farmer of the colony.

O'Toole—Phwat's the matter that ye didn't spake to Mulligan just now? "Ye sure say, Phwat? O'Brien—That we have not. That's the insurance of our friendship."

O'Toole—Phwat do ye make? O'Brien—Sure it's this way. Mulligan an' I are that devoted to wan another that we can't bear the loss of a quarrel; an' as we are both mighty quick-tempered we've resolved not to spake to wan another all, for fear we break the friendship."

"Did you say he lived in New York day in and day out?" "No, day and night out."

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Serbian Relief

So many demands have been made on public generosity as a result of the war that there might be hesitancy in presenting another if the needs were not so great. The Canadian public have met all demands nobly, but it is still safe to say that those who are staying at home in peace are contributing very much less than those who have gone to fight for the cause of human liberty. Compared with some of the unfortunate countries of Europe Canada scarcely knows she is at war.

One of the most unfortunate of the little nations, in whose cause our Empire has taken up this great fight, is Serbia. It was the spirit of the Serbia. It was the spirit of the Serbian people, which refused to abase itself before Austria and Germany, that was used as a pretext by those nations for this war, and Serbia has suffered for her liberty perhaps even more than Belgium, although the distress of the Serbian people has not been so prominently before the Canadian public.

The recent visit of Mrs. Pankhurst to Calgary resulted in the organization of a branch of the Canadian Serbian Relief Society with Mr. J. S. Dennis, Assistant to the President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, as president and the Rev. Cox Clark, of Calgary, secretary-treasurer. A committee of prominent men and women complete the organization, and an appeal is now made for funds to assist the families of our destitute allies in Serbia. Contributions may be made in goods but cash is preferred as it can be forwarded more quickly and gives more immediate relief.

The need is very great and it is felt that this appeal will not fall unheeded by the people of Alberta. Already some substantial contributions have been received, and others, sent either to Mr. Dennis or to Rev. Cox Clarke, 509 18th, Ave., West, Calgary, will be promptly acknowledged and at once placed in the way of assisting a noble people who are reduced to destitution by the ravages of war.

UNDER-HAND FIGHTING

University Writer's Criticisms of
"Made-in-Canada" is Superficial

"Show me a man who puts up a 'Made-in-Canada' placard and I will show you a man who hopes to increase his own private and personal profit, at your expense or mine, out of the movement."

The above extract is taken from an article signed "S.L." and occupying an editorial or a semi-editorial position, which appeared in the April issue of the "University Magazine," a review which is published in Montreal and circulated chiefly among university graduates.

Throughout Canada, at the present time, there are thousands of "Made-in-Canada" placards displayed in the most important manufacturing, wholesale and retail establishments. In the advertisements and on the products of our leading manufacturers, whose reputations are national, and in many cases, international, the words "Made-in-Canada" appear. It is quite true, of course, that these "Made-in-Canada" placards and advertisements are intended to prompt the sale of Canadian goods and, consequently, to yield

legitimate profits to those who make and sell the goods; but "S.L." sees great wickedness in this and seems to infer that Canadian goods should be sold at cost or, better still, at a loss. Are we to assume that "Made-in-Germany" or "Made-in-Austria" goods were formerly sold in Canada without any regard for "private and personal profit" to those who made them, or that goods made in other countries are now being sold in Canada for similar disinterested motives?

Admitting that manufacturers and dealers who advocate the "Made-in-Canada" policy hope to derive personal benefit from it, which no reasonable person thinks of denying, surely they can also be given credit for a broader interest in the success of the movement and for entertaining the belief that the adoption of the policy will be of great advantage to other classes as well as to themselves.

Empire Defenders.

We print below a list of the men from the Crossfield district who have joined the ranks of our Empire Defenders. Should any names have been omitted and any of our readers be able to supply us with the same we should be glad to include same.

Lieut. Col. R. L. Boyle, 10th Batt.
Killed in Action.
W. G. R. Mundell, Princess Pats., Killed in Action.
Charles Thomson, 9th, Band.
C. J. Urquhart, 12th Mounted Rifles.
John Cheeser, " "
W. H. Borton, " "
M. Lewis, " "
D. R. Lewis, " "
Rohit. Salter, 31st Batt.
Cyril Fuller, " "
Perley Courser, " "
M. L. Brown, " "
M. L. Boyle, " "
Frank Lavack, 50th Batt.
Clyde Surrack, " "
John Galbraith, " "
S. J. Hunter, " "
R. McDonald, " "
P. G. Swann, 51st Batt. Piper
W. C. Clark, " "
Harry Fenwick, 50th Batt.
Jack Collins, " "
Charles Collins, " "
R. Landsburgh, " "
Fred Blake, " "
C. W. H. Atkinson, Medical Corps.
Bugler J. H. Whitfield, 8th Field Amb.
A. Fraser, 4th Field Co. Engineers
A. R. V. Dyke, " "
Capt. F. Thorpe, " "
Bert Ostwick, " "
Charlie Knight, 31st Batt.
David Grant, " "
Harry Onslow, " "
G. T. Corwell, 82nd Batt.
Bert Wolodze, " "
Jas. Moss, " "
L. G. Fisher, " "
J. E. Clinton, 82nd Batt.
Dan McPhae, " "
Hiram Walsh, " "
S. Dawson, 50th Batt.
Douglas Hall, 50th Batt.
W. A. M. Hallett, 8th Batt.
James Eagleton, 137th Battalion
George Smith, " "
John Todd, 137th Batt.
Lewis Hughes, 137th Batt.
Addison McFadyen, " "
G. Henson, " "
Wm. Merrick, 113th Batt.
Jno. Morrison, 113th Batt.
Jno. Robertson, " "
Hugh McIntyre, " "
Sam Sheppard, " "
Frank Mossop, " "
Geo. Yellowwee, " "
Ward Cansour, " "
Lloyd J. Havens, 13th Mounted
A. E. Barnes, " "
Gordon Wyatt, " "
Harry Singleton, " "
Jerry Marton, " "
Bob Milne, 12th Batt.
Jack Elliott, " "
Fred Stevens, 12th Batt.
R. Giesley, 80th Batt.
Wm. Milne, 113th Batt.
Alf. Bailey, 21th " "
Levi Rose, 187th Batt.
Ivor Lewis, 187th Batt.
R. Peacock, " "
Wm. Urquhart, " "
Douglas Lee, " "
E. E. Edwards, " "
C. Burgess, " "
Wm. Wilson, " "
B. Furber, " "
D. Cumming, " "
Jas. Cumming, " "
J. Cavander, " "
J. Robinson, " "
A. Landymore, " "
H. Vanhook, " "
Chas. Oldacre, " "
Dan McFadyen, " "
F. Nichols, " "
H. McCool, " "
Harold Edward, " "
Art Gilson, " "
O. Alexander, " "
Besides there are some who have very recently emigrated from here and are well known, and have enlisted elsewhere:
Bruce Knox, 66th Batt.
R. H. Hunter, 13th Mounted
A. C. Wiles, " "
Walter Goodland, 50th Batt. Corporal.
Bert Collins, 17th Signal Reserve.
Joseph Eke, " "
F. Eykellsoch, " "
Frank R. Parker, 82nd.
W. B. Edward, 80th Batt.
Donald MacLennan, 13th Mounted
George Downing, " "
George Blanchard, " "
E. Bishop, " "
Neil McCrimmon, " "

Mr. Smoker a Word Please

We are asked to start a Subscription list at our office for the purpose of raising funds to purchase tobacco for the Canadian soldiers at the front who are greatly in need of it.

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More than 25,000 packages have already been sent through this fund but the work is only just beginning and more assistance is needed.

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